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RE: Response to Restriction Requirement

Please find attached the Applicant's response to the Office Action mailed 30 August 2005.

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#### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Attention:

Tammara Peyton

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Dear Sir:

The Applicant respectfully responds to the Office Action mailed 30 August 2005 as follows:

#### **RESPONSE**

The Examiner required restriction to one of the following patentably distinct inventions under 35 U.S.C. 121:

- Claims 1-9 and 13-26, directed to a system method for enhancing data throughput in a SCSI topology in a nexus pipeline unit including an initiating unit; or
- II. Claims 10-12, directed to a nexus pipeline circuit including a plurality of load stages including a plurality of nexus attributes.

The Applicant elects the claims of Species I, claims 1-9 and 13-26, directed to a system method for enhancing data throughput in a SCSI topology in a nexus pipeline unit including an initiating unit.

If it is felt for any reason that direct communication with the Applicant's attorney would serve to advance prosecution of this case to finality, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned Peter P. Scott at the telephone number below.

# AUTHORIZATION TO PAY AND PETITION FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OF ANY NECESSARY FEES

If any charges or fees must be paid in connection with this communication (including but not limited to the payment of an extension fee or issue fees), or if any overpayment is to be refunded in connection with the present application, any such charges or fee, or any such overpayment may be respectively paid out of, or into, the Deposit Account No. 12-2252 of LSI Logic Corporation. If any such payment also requires a Petition or Extension Request, please construe this authorization as the required Petition or Request.

Respectfully submitted,

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